## John C. Badten

John C. Badten, 74, of 730, 7th Ave., S.E., Aberdeen, died Saturday, April 27, at St. Luke's Hospital. Funeral services were held today, Wednesday, May 1, at 2 p.m. at the Plymouth Congregational (UCC) Church with the Rev. John H. Brooks officiating. Burial was to be in Sunset Memorial Gardens.

John Carl Badten was born on November 11, 1899, near Verdon where he attended school and later farmed with his parents. He was married to Clara Bugner at Mansfield on October 15, 1924, and they farmed at Reeder, N.D. In 1934, the family moved to the Seattle, Wash., vicinity where he worked for Boeing Aircraft and in the ship yards. In 1954, they returned

to South Dakota, living in Aberdeen where he worked at Northern State College until he retired in 1965. He was a member of the Plymouth Congregational (UCC) Church and the Aberdeen Senior Citizens.

He is survived by his wife Clara; four sons, Norbert of Milwaukee, Wis., Delary of Snoqualmie, Wash., Harold of Waterville, Wash., and Dale of Aberdeen; two brothers, William Badten of Aberdeen and Ernest Badten of Ferney; two sisters, Mrs. Etta Hemmann of Salt Lake City, Utah; and Mrs. Mary Franklin of Arcadia, Calif.; and eleven grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers and three sisters.